Teaching Literacy in English to K-5 English Learners

THE CASE FOR CHANGE

- . English learners lag behind their native English-speaking peers in reading achievement.
- · Without strong reading skills, English learners will not be able to reach challenging standards.
- . Many English learners are not being taught to read in English until they are able to speak in English.

LITERACY

English learners can learn to read in English at a rate comparable to native English speakers

...they are taught to read in English from their first day of school (with or without reading instruction in their native language).



HOW

Benchmarks and Progress Measures

Common Planning Time

Staff Collaboration

SUPPORTING CONDITIONS

Core
Reading Series

DOING WHAT WORKS

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